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In re U.S. Patent Application of)
OOTANI et al.)
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For: VISUALIZATION OF MULTI-LAYER NETWORK)
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**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on March 30, 2004, the period of response to which is set to expire on June 30, 2004. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: